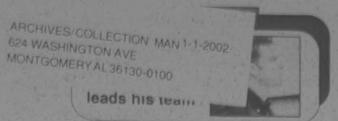


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The Elba Clipper takes a look back at 2001 before entering 2002

first quarter of current fiscal tion of AL Hwy. 203, Martin year; Commission supplements Luther King Dr. and Taylor Mill June 28 - (picture) Fire destroy life insurance; (picture)- Elba Rd.; City of Elba awarded the Coffee County home of Stan SEPTEMBER City Council passes health care \$10,000 federal business devel- and Carol Windham; Troy King September 6 - (picture) - Coffee found guilty of first-degree mur-

February 22 - Elba utility users office as investigator, \$6.1 mil- Elba; Elba General Hospital and BOE approves \$6 million budget NOVEMBER facing increase in electric and lion federal loan and grant Nursing Home celebrates expan- for FY2001-2002; County BOE November 4 - (picture) - Elba as the 2001, Elba Christmas water rates before summer approved for Coffee County sion and renovations; Elba coun- approves \$12.4 million budget. Chamber of Commerce sponsors. Family, "speculative building" located in pletion; Long-time county BOE May 3 - Gov. Siegelman visits JULY
member Joyce Barksdale dies; Elba and delivers news of fund. July 5 - The Dorsey Trailer Association of County brings new driver license fees. (picture) - Counterfeit \$10 and ing for the levee projects in Elba Company announces the pur- Commission of Alabama board. (picture) - Elba's mascot Elbie

DA Mark Fuller calls for the March 22 - DA Mark Fuller May 31 - Rodger Bowden sub-Elba grand jury to convene in speaks to the Elba Lion's Club, mits his letter of resignation as AUGUST . OCTOBER

age 22, and seriously injures. Wilkerson, age 19, denied. Damel Stephens as chairman of MarketPlace. both of Elba; Elba Police Dept. degree domestic violence Fire Dept. contains a mobile. August 30 - Local law enforce. October 25 - Commission walking trails arrests a Troy man and woman. charges; (picture). Minor wreck. home fire on Jones Street to heat. ment, makes, two arrests from amends budget for county extenon sex related charges; Special occurs at the intersection of AL and smoke damage, City of Elba illegal drug operation and confis-sion service to allow the contin-December 13 - Gov. Siegelman grand jury indicts Jonathan. Hwy 87N and AL Hwy 203; presents land deed to the Coffee cated over 60 marijuana plants; ued employment of a part-time visits Elba for official Dorse

> opment grant; Patrick Norris begins political campaign for the County Farmers are hard at work der in Virginia. joins 12th Judicial Circuit DA's office of Secretary of State in gathering the beanut crop, Elba cil grants tax abatements to new for FY2001-2002; Coffee Pumpkins on the Square: Jail

and Geneva; Elba police officers chase of old Dorsey Trailers, and dispatchers voluntarily sub-mit to drug testing; Circuit Court Police Dept. in a major drug bust Chief R.W. "Ronnie" Whitworth before Homecoming; (picture) Revenue which led to the arrest of Robin submits letter of resignation; Elba Mayor James Grimes pro-

from the front pages of the year's receives \$860,000 Industrial May 10 Dorsey auction date set facility for June 1st. (picture) - Elba county's deposition of the second s

January 4 - Elba BOE recognizes WZTZ/WELB for being named to the Alabama Media - Club - Pancake - Breakfast: nears completion; (picture) - Completion; (picture) - Club - Pancake - Breakfast: nears completion; (picture) - Club - Cl Honor Roll: Larry Goodson Farthquake that hit 35 miles. Walter Cox receives rotary club. Trailer plant: Elba Council September 20 - Fiba Schools reelects Charles Walker as chartbegins new year as chief of the southwest of Seattle on Feb. 28 honor by being named Paul approves the removal of the plan to Borrow funds to finish the mail and Danny Jermaan as vices Elba Fire Dept.; Dorsey Trailers causes anxiotts moments for Harris Fellow, crooked bridge for the proposed fiscal year: (picture) The Elba chairman of the board. New local resident: Rep. Terry Spicer level project.

hang from the fountain at the Wind visus Elba as Williams presented the Miniam Shehane Therain accepts the position as Coffee County Youth Leadership Teachers Daysin Elba. annual tootball camp; (picture) - Chief R.W. Ronnie Whitworth West proves fatal for fames Earl

August 2 - Kinston Band October 4 - M

February 15 - Elba sales tax April 26 - (picture) - Three car attaining college credit at ago 14 - MDA: D.A.R.E. program newscity clerk for Elba: Authors America. Inc.: (picture) The

Way campaign; Commissioner chamber continues to look for the year that was 2001.

General Hospital honors the late - July 12 - Coffee County BOE, Bank of Enterprise, New in initial funding for Wiregrass March 8 - (picture). Lindsey Brad Wilson with tree planting succommends the hiring of Dr. Brockton Council presents a Regional Water Reservoir, (pic-Policy Council ting ceremony held at the newly July 19 - Elba Fire Dept. has 10 courthouse yard as Americans removation project, epicture) opened Family Finders Regional Tirefighters complete a deal with the Sept. 11 terrorist. Elba Mayor James Grimes pr

of New Brockton plans Martin, insurance proposal from Sheriff's Dept warms entizens the fown of New Brockton. the Dorsey Traders shows us Elba Police arrest Michael

County launches 2002 United restoration project put on hold as December 27 - A look back at



EDITORIAL

With Ferrin Cox

the season was simply "Merry Christmas". Then the more sensitive in the community added happy. Hanukkah because of the encounter a prayer or acknowl, ment would not sanction one what better time to return the Amoricans deserve the right to Jewish residents of our small town. Now it is not unusual to get edgement of God in their school religion as a rallying cry to shut right to pray in America's class - pray and to recognize their relimail, e-mail, etc, ending with the multiple greeting of, Merry Ativities. Time was when public out religion all together from rooms? For this reason, I have grous beliefs, heritage and tradi-Christmas, happy Hanukkah and a blessed Ramadan? This last is teachers and administrators were "public" life, beginning with our joined with 73 other original flors on public grounds, includadded in recognition of the growing presence of Muslims in not fearful of referencing God., schools, America and throughout the world. While some still frown on and there was seldom a need for Indeed, freedom of religion. School Prayer Amendment to the that society cannot see the evithis expanded greeting, we are not in that group, as hone of this police patrols of school grounds, which was so important to the "US Constitution. This proposed dence all around us that to do paying respect for another's religion is considered a threat to our and locker sweeps for weapons. authors of American liberty that constitutional amendment would a otherwise is morally. Self-Christian ideals and beliefs. In fact the more we learn about other. Is four society better now they protected it in the First, permit, but not mandate, school, destructive + religions or even read challenges to the traditional Christian

POW's rioting, killing guards and escaping. Basic military train- the knowledge that their impress dom's reaped as a School stucalled seasoned fighters continue to screw up and get themselves - crence to God. Never mind the and/or their fellow "good guys" killed in the process

Argentine citizens anguish with their government because the Founding Fathers, would be lence and sex. Our Founding because the people are looting and destroying the few business- tation of their intent in framing es which were surviving. These survivors were not the root of the the Constitution over 200 years, - while society has deemed it necountry's problems but were a ray of hope for anyone to survive ago. They were, for the most essary to ban prayer from classand have to be devalued when the country defaults on outstanding-foans. This devaluation will hurt the poor and middle class who might have had a few coins hidden under the mattress. That saved coin that once would have bought a load of bread, will soon only buy a half loaf - if and when it is available. It is all real It brings out the absolute worst in human beings

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From Congressman Terry Everett...It all comes back to prayer

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Area Happenings

EXTENSION OFFICE HOURS The Coffee County Extens face in New Brockton is currently closed in observance of the hristmas and New Year's Day holiday. The office will reopen a

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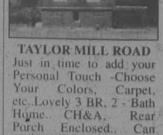
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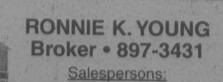
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EDITH VAUGHAN

vears, died Dec. 12, 2001 Funeral services were held LEWIS PAUL SMART Evergreen Cemetery in Elba. Dec. 22, 2001 from the Chapel of grandchildren. Survivors include her hus- Hayes Funeral Home in Elba . band: Rene E. Vaughan Sr., with Rev. Stevens Nolin officiat- MR. ROBERT HOLLIS Montgomery: her children: ing Burial followed at Evergreen KELLEY Montgomery, Rena (Lonnie) Funeral Home directing. and Grace Jones: four sisters: Elba. Wayne Barbaree, Jane Hudson. Ann Davis and Betty Hudson: ROY JACKSON

Rev. Diana S. Flentory officiating, ing. Burial followed at Harden Mr. Jackson was preceded in grandchildren.

Street Cemetery in Opp with death by his parents, Jeff and Coleman Funeral Home direct- Leola Jackson. Mrs, Henderson was preceded ers: Alfred Jackson, Coco, Fla., in death by her parents. Lillie and H.B. Jackson, Troy, Ala.; one sis-Henry Henderson: and her son. ter: Elnora Solomon. Jerome White:

daughter-in-law: Alice F. Haven, Conn.; three daughters: White, Opp. three grandsons: Marjorie Thompson Hunter. Melvin Wade. Apple Valley Calif. Tyrone White, Opp Frederick White, Dozier, Ala., 11 great-grandchildren and five

JAMES COLEY WAMBLES Mr. James Coley Wambles. age 80, of 331 County Road 208. Jack. Ala., died Dec. 20, 2001 at the Elba Nursing Home. Funeral services were held at Zion Chapel Baptist Church on Dec. 23, 2001 with Rev. Larry Doster and Rev. Jimmy Maddox Zion Chapel Cemetery in Elba.

Mr. Wambles was preceded in death by his mother. Sara Belle Hataway Wambles, father, John Henry Wambles, two sisters and seven brothers. Survivors include his wife: Clara Wambles, Jack, two daughters: Patsy Lunsford. Enterprise, Debra Daughtry, Phenix City, Alas one sister: Mary Carpenter, Jack, one brother: Ray Wambles, Phenix

City: Alar: three granddaughters: Vickie Daughtry. Phenix City. Ala. Lori Spicer. New Brockton, Donna Ammons: Havelock, N.C.; two grandsons: Darrin Lunsford, Montgomery, Dalton Daughtry, Phenix City, Ala.: two great-grandsons: Justin Lünsford, Montgomery,

11 traffic deaths predicted for New Year's holiday

Alabama state troopers are asking holiday travelers to drive with caution, using safety belts and child restraints, and obeying speed limits and all other traffic laws. They also especially urge motorists to abstain from drinking and driving during the holi-

Alabama the toughest drunk driving laws in the nation," said Governor Don Siegelman. "As attorney general I pushed legislation which lowered the legal blood alcohol level from .10 percent to .08, and doubled the fines for DUI. As governor we passed legislation imposing new penalties against people who drive drunk with children in the

"I have worked hard to give

All available troopers will be on patrol during peak holiday travel times to enforce traffic laws and assist motorists, according to James H. Alexander, director of the Alabama Department of Public

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Thomas Spicer, New Brockton; Newport News, Va., Katie Lane, Mrs. Edith Vaughan, age 78, a and one great-granddaughter. Samson, Ala., Betty Mullins, esident of Montgomery for 58 Abbey Ammons, Havelock, N.C. Spring Lake, N.C.; one daughter-in-law: Miriam Jackson, New Haven, Conn.; one broth-Dec. 14, 2001 from the Chapel of Lewis Paul Smart, age 74, of er-in-law: Willie Rowell Brooks-Cargile Funeral Home Elba, Ala, died Dec. 19, 2001 at (Gertrude), Birmingham, Ala, with Dr. Earl Hall officiating. UAB Hospital in Birmingham. 18 grandchildren, 28 great-Grayeside services followed at Funeral services were held grandchildren and 3 great great-

Montgomery: her grandchil- daughter-in-law: Larry and Funeral services were held at dren: Lauri Munoz. Emily Sandra Smart, Jacksonville, Ala. Westside Baptist Church on (Maurice) Jones, J.K. Jones, one granddaughter, Misty Monday morning, 10:00 a.m., Matthew Vaughan and Mitchell Smart, Jacksonville, Ala: three December 24, 2001 with Dr. Vaughan: three great-grandchil- sisters: Voncille Sanders, Lois Tony Dye and Reverend Mack dren, Jacob Munoz, Ana Munoz Edgar and Lucille Hudson, all of King officiating. Burial was in Hillcrest Memorial Gardens of

and one grandson-in-law. Roy (Mr. Bob) Jackson, age Survivors include his wife, 92, died Dec. 9, 2001 Funeral services were held daughter and son-in-law: Jean GLADIE MAE HENDERSON Dec. 15, 2001 at Apostolic and Dennis Conger, of Mrs. Gladie Mae Henderson. Church of Jesus Christ on Opp. Niceville, FL; two sons and age 93, died Dec. 16, 2001. Ala, with Rev, W.H. Bass offici, daughters-in-law; Jerry, and Funeral services were held ating Burial followed at Hardin Theresa Kelley and Kevin and Dec. 19, 2001 at St. Stephens Street Cemetery in Opp with Teri Kelly, both of Elba; two A.M.E. Church in Opp. Ala, with Hammond Funeral Home direct- brothers: Everett and Dwight

Survivors include two broth-Montgomery, Alas two sons: Survivors include one daugh- Nathaniel Jackson. Harrison. ter: Doris Wade, Opp, one Del., Freddy Jackson, New

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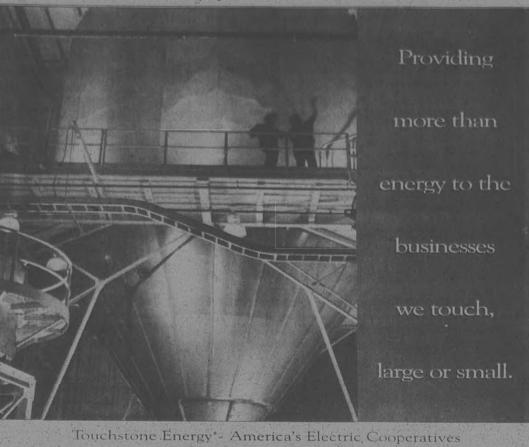
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(At the Lord's supper) did the Lord Jesus break pieces of bread and pass them to the disciples, or did He breake a piece for Himself and pass the loaf on to the disei-

gave unto them, saving. This is my body which is given The Abru Family, Ester M. for you this do in remembrance of me (Luke 22:19)." -As far as the breaking of bread and the giving of bread to of me (Luke 22:19). Now the Lord "took bread, and gave thanks, and break it, gave unto them (Luke 22:19) ... Did bread, and give thanks, and break it in remembrance of 1. the Lord? It is recorded in Matthew 26:26 that after the Rev. Gary Barnes pastor, Rose Lord gave bread unto the disciples that He said "Take |

cat, when partaking of the Lord's supper-Does this word translated "bread" mean one "loaf"? The Jesus said "Man shall not live by bread alone?" Did He I We do not know for certain that Jesus distributed only guest speaker, pastor of Beulah She was born on October 2,

is column, please send it to: "Questions and Answers," clo Elba

ROUND & ABOUT WITH ERIA 897-2004

**Christ Is Born - Scripture: **Thinking of you, praying for -

Luke 2:1-20 ***December Birthday: Bettye English

Hill, Ala., Sunday, December *Deacon and Deaconess Day will be held at St. Mark Baptist New Arrival

one "loaf" to the disciples. In regards to "bread" in par- | Baptist Church in Montgomery. taking of the Lord's supper we are commanded to "take, | Ala All churches are invited to eat. (Matthew 26:26), not necessarily take, break from attend. **Juanita Brooks and Ree Nita Lynsey's grandparents are Brooks, Enterprise, Ala: Eria Lindsey Belcher and the of European Dimensions in Troy, helped 12-year-old Mandy Ernestine Kelley. Evelyn late Grover Belcher. Sr. and Edd Blackmon of Elha make a donation to ^(3)Locks of Love^(2) earli-Manning. Lynsey Fayth, and and Fave Manning all of Etha, er this month. Blackmon said she saw a newspaper photograph of Thurch of Christ, P. O. Box 269. Elha, Al. 36323. We invite everyone | Eria Lindsey Belcher, all of Elha Lynsey, has two big brothers Brannon cutting a little girl?(1)s hair for ^(3)Locks of Love^(2) two attend the services of the Elba Church of Christ. Please coll | visited Mrs. Vick E. Lindsey Jason and Mason Gulley. Years ago and began then to grow herhair for a donation. The hair My prayer is that people Blackmon is the daughter of Deborah Ballard of Glenwood and everywhere had a Merry Johnny K. Blackmon of Elba. She is the granddaughter of Johnny We will close Monday, Christmas and their New Year and Carolyn Blackmon. Dec. 31, at 2:00 p.m. & 2002 will be happy and bright. APARTMENTS AVAILABLE be closed New Year's Day, r Low and Very Low Income Families / Single Tuesday, Jan. 1st 1, 2, 3 & 4 Bedrooms All Utilities Furnished Except Electricity If Interested Contact: We will resume regular banking ELBA HOUSING AUTHORITY SERVICE services on Wednesday, January 2 AVAILABLE 251 Morrow Village • Elba, AL 36323 Have a safe & happy holiday! (334)897-2737 (334)897-3532 THE ELBA CLIPPER Worship At The Church of Your Choice This Week! N. RIEN

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Trenton Joseph Sanders Trenton Joseph Sanders celebrates first birthday

Elba celebrated his first birthday on November 17, 2001. He was oined on this occassion by family and friends. Trenton's birthday was November 20, 2001. He is the son of Billy and Linda Sanders of Elba. His grandparents are Troy and Roberta Gideon of Elba and Wayne and Susan Sanders of Brantley. His great-grandparents are "Happy lack" Gideon and the late Macie Gideon of Elba, Mildred Bryant, of Jacksonville.III. and the late Robert Rider also of Jacksonville, and Eller Sanders of Opp, Ala. His birthday theme

Green of Brundidge, Ala. She is a 1997 graduate of Saturday, December 29, 2001 at Zion Chapel High School and a 6:00 p.m. at Haw Hill Assembly 2001 graduate of Auburn of God in Brundidge, Ala. A. University where she received a reception will follow in the bachelor of science degree in church fell wship hall. Kira Starks is two years old

Kira Starks

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Mr. and Mrs. Clifton Carter of Animal, Science. She

of their daughter, Julie Ann The future bridegroom is the Carter, to Chad Nicholas grandson of Mr. and Mrs. Louie

daughter of the late Mr. and He is a 1997 graduate of Pike Mrs. Charlie Carter of Jack, Ala. Liberal Arts. He is employed in

Elba announce the engagement employed in Troy.

The bride-elect is the grand- of Troy.

birthday on November 6, 2001. Her parents are James and Leslie. Starks. She celebrated her birth-La.; and James and Mary Starks several residents from the new Cook wing at the nursing home.



13, and her sister Tierney, age GOOD CHEER... Many residents at the Elba Nursing Home had some special visitors Wednesday 11. Kira's grandparents are John afternoon. Dec. 19, as representatives of the Coffee County Jail delivered Christmas gifts to them. and Eva Mouton of New Iberia. Delivering the gifts were Susie Abbott. Patti Brumby and Ruth Scheipe. Above they are pictured with

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This week's faculty spotlight, inspiring her to become a

Mrs. Johnson currently Mrs. Johnson formerly taught

teaches 9th grade Algebra I. for eight years at Dothan High

Rehobeth High School, of her husband Van and nine

Dothan and Troy State She is an accomplished

Co-Op Spotlight

focuses on Sheila Johnson. teacher.

Wallace Junior College in cats

high school math teacher with

The student in this week's Cospop Spotlight is Ashley

daughter of Lisa and Greg

Hanchey She is employed at

EHS students attend Dorsey's reopening ceremony

A group of students from Chriss Street and several other of Dorsey Trailer Company, Technical College new trailers,

Governor Siegleman, Senator imminent people spoke at the presented both Governor Holley, Representative Spicer, ceremony, Christ Street, CEO Siegleman and McArthur State



Editor: Katie Grimes

EES Faculty Spotlight

is focused on Kim Lowery. Mrs. Lowery teaches first grade and has been teaching at

EES for nine years. Mrs. Lowery graduated from Elba High School. She furthered her education at Troy State University where she got her Bachelor of Science and Master of Science degrees in early childhood education. Mrs. Lowery is married to

David Lowery and has two sons,

Andrew and Trey. When asked who or what inspired her to become a good role model.

Junior Beta Club sponsors foster child eighth year. She was elected by Kimberly Farris chased clothing, games, books.

School Junior Beta Club mem- Students who helped club as having always been, a dream this is shown in the fact the School Junior Beta Club members made a trip to one of the sponsor Karen Davis in this her.

Students who help to one of the sponsor Karen Davis in this her.

Principal Mickey erative and very understanding the children. a two-year-old foster child. ident Bradley Bane, secretary McCollough stated, "Mrs. towards the children" These students participated Dustin Rhoades, Katie Cash. Christmas" program, which is Whitney Bailey. Elizabeth sponsored by the Coffee Weeks, Ashley Key, Anna a

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Elba High School band mem-

wanted a profession in which longer teach, she would be an school. She has been teaching at she could help others and be a owner of a unique gift shop. EES for seven years and is Teacher of the Year by the eleand toys for the toddler that staff On Tuesday afternoon, they have enthusiastically Mrs. Mitchell quoted teaching Mitchell is a great teacher, and earned degrees in both math playing the piano and reading.

in the "Adopt a Foster Child for Chase Boutwell, Josh Hudson. EHS chorus gives Christmas performance

Levens beautifully sang patriot-On December 11, 2001, the ic songs such as "America the Elba High School chorus per Beautiful" and ended with formed their annual Christmas, "Wind Beneath My Wings." concert for the student body After Ms. Levens, moving

njoyed the program very much.



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LOOK WHO'S FIFTY! LOVE, YOUR FAMILY

By Ricky Mularz, Sports Editor

We didn't put up anywhere near as many lights as we have in the pair of big wins over county past, but I assured our girls that even though they were a year older rivals last week to claim the and it would not be as easy to spot our house from the sky, that Santa championship of the Zion would probably still stop by and leave a few gifts. As the girls get Chapel Christmas Tournament, older the gifts get fewer and the cost of the gifts gets higher, hosted by Zion Chapel High However, it is still a fun time of the year and a time to give thanks School. for our many, many blessings. Merry Christmas!

PASSING ALONG SOME NOTES....

*** The Elba Tigers and Lady Tigers both claimed two wins last with a convincing 66-39 victory week to bring home the championship trophies from the Zion over the Zion Chapel Rebels. Chapel Christmas Tournament. The Tigers struggled before getting The Kinston Bulldogs past Kinston in their opener, then pulled away late from Zion Chapel claimed third place honors. in the title match to up their record to 7-1 on the young season John while the Ariton Purple Cats fin-Mitchell scored 25 points in both games to lead Elba to the champi- ished fourth in the annual holionship, while the Tigers also began to show an ability to hit from day tournament. behind the arc. The Tigers may not be as good as some of their fans. Following are highlights of think and their record might indicate, but they should get better and the tournament action: better as the season rolls along and could be a contender by the end of the year. The Lady Tigers made it look easy with wins over OPENING ROUND: Kinston and Zion Chapel to claim their second straight tournament title. Elba's girls could have piled up some big numbers against its ELBA 58 two opponents, but let the reserves mop up both wins in the fourth KINSTON 51 quarter and as a result the final scores were much closer than the . The Elba Tigers outscored the game. The Lady Tigers have yet to put it all together. However, with Kinston Bulldogs 11-4 over the four starters back that were on last year's team that made it to the final three-minutes of the fourth sub-region finals, one has to believe that the best is yet to come, quarter Monday night to post an Elba's Kyle English (in white) stops a Zion Chapel defender near halfcourt in the With the Tigers and Lady Tigers both winning big. Elba basketball exciting 58-51 win, in opening. Tigers' big 66-39 win over the Rebels in the championship game of the Zion Chapel fans should keep up with the schedule and come out to support these found action.

*** Zion Chapel's Rebels and Lady Rebels both entered last I lead behind the inside play of 7-1 on the season. week's Christmas tournament without a win, but both gave their John Mitchell and Marcus tans plenty to cheer about as they claimed opening round wins and Henderson, and appeared head- Z.C. 63 made it to the tournament finals. It was my first chance to see Zion. ed for an easy win after a basket ARITON 48 Chapel in action, and I was pleasantly surprised with the intensity by Derrick Brooks put the The Zion Chapel Rebels record to 6-4, while Ariton The win improved the Tigers' and heart shown by the players on both teams. Neither team is filled. Tigers on top 16-5 with 1:34 left. scored the game's final eleven. slipped to 0-4 with the loss. record to 7-1, while the Rebels. with stars. However, both gave it all they had for four quarters and in the first quarter. didn't lose in the finals due to lack of effort. Forget the records, the The Tigers' lead grew to 22-8 the Ariton Purple Cats 63-48, to basket early in the opening stans. Zion Chapel came out ready basketball fans up at Zion Chapel have two teams they can be proud early in the second stanza on a claim their first win of the za as Ariton crept out to a 3-0 to play and grabbed a quick 3-0.

*** Kinston claimed consolation honors in both the boys and Kinston suddenly came to life The Rebels got off to a slow A free-throw by Jeremy Driver. Sanders, and remained in comgirls divisions, and did nothing to change my mind that the Bulldogs and behind the three-point start and trailed 7-0 with 5:47 finally put the Bulldogs on the mand throughout the opening are a very talented LA team and that the Lady Bulldogs are much shooting of Lee Whigham went left in the first quarter, but then scoreboard with 3:27 remaining, stanza as the Rebels lead grew better than their record might indicate, and are a team to keep an eye on an 8-0 run to close to within came to life and went on an 11- and Kinston pulled even at 3-3 to 12-7 late on Sanders' second on. The Bulldogs went stone cold late from the floor and the free- 24-18 with 4:47 remaining in 0 run to grab an 11-7 advantage only seconds later on a lay-up, three-pointer of the quarter. throw line in a hard fought loss to Elba, then woke up after a lack—the half. luster first half to down Ariton for third place honors. Believe me. A short jumper by Jimmy ter. The Zion Chapel surge was The pace never picked up of John Mitchell to score the Kinston has a team filled with very good players, and if they ever. Coleman stopped the Bulldog, sparked by Jon Sanders and throughout. The quarter final six points of the quarter to put it all together, watch out. The Lady Bulldogs defeated Ariton in run and put the Tigers ahead 26. Billy McClain, who combined However, Kinston did connect grab a 13-12 lead, only to see the consolation game to get their first win of the season, and it was 18, but Kinston refused to go to score nine points during the on three of four free-throws late. I the Rebels rally early in the secgreat to see the girls finally get a win. Kinston's girls have played away and went in at the half four-minute explosion. and then grabbed an 8-5 lead on ond quarter to regain the lead at hard all season long and have improved by leaps and bounds, and trailing only 29-25 after a late. Ariton rallied early in the sec- a short, jumper by Shawn 17-13 on a three-pointer by they deserved to celebrate a win. Things are looking up down in basket by Whigham ond quarter and began to pull Brantley with 45 left on the Brandon Arnold.

*** Area basketball fans will get the chance to see all the high with 4.36 left in the duarter 21-13 lead with 5.38 left in the Ariton began to wake up early 19-15 with 4.48 left in the quarter school action they could ever want to see this week, as holiday tour—after a driving lay-up by John—half on a short jumper by T.R.—in the second quarter and moved—ter after a short jumper by James naments will be held in both Red Level and Dothan. The Red Level Mitchell, but the Bulldogs were. Oliver. The Purple Cats' lead on top 15-12 with 4:54 left in Simmons. However, Elba event will feature eight boys teams and eight girls teams, and will ready to rally, and did just that grew to 31-18 with 2:10 remain. The half on a basket by T.R. picked up its intensity on both include eight games a day for three straight days. The top teams as Kinston scored nine unanting after an Oliver, lay-up, but. Oliver, but Kinston quickly, ends of the court and when Kyle should be T.R. Miller, Georgiana and Red Level in the boys brack—swered points to grab a 36-32—the Rebels staged another rally—drew even at 15-15 on a three—English drilled a three-pointer et, while over in the girls division the teams to watch appear to be advantage with 2:29 still left in and this time outscored Ariton pointer by Lee Whigham, and with 06 remaining, it capped Andalusia, Pleasant Home and T.R. Miller. The 19th annual Dothan the quarter. A short jumper by 8-0 to pull within 31-26 with 20 the teams swapped baskets for off a 17-0 Tiger rally that sent Progress/Dothan Eagle classic will be held at the Dothan Civic Jeremy Driver started the still left in the half. The Rebel the remainder of the half as the Elba in at the half with a 32-19. Center, and this year there should be good games on almost every. Kinston comeback, while a rally was sparked by Jon rivals went in at intermission advantage! day of the event, The Abbeville-Randolph-Clay game should high-three-pointer by Patrick Nelson Sanders and Brandon Arnold, knotted at 26-26. light the first day's action, while on the second day Pleasant Home capped the spurt that gave the and carried over into the second. The Bulldogs were wide Rebel scoring drought with 6:47 and Goshen will tangle. Semifinal match-ups could include Bulldogs the lead. Randolph-Clay against Andalusia and Pleasant Home against Elba rallied to pull even at 38. first eight points of the stanza to court after halftime, and behind. Tigers were now in command Barbour County, and that would make for a very interesting night of high school hoops. Hey fans, if you like high school basketball, this is your week.

Sawith 49 left in the quarter on a three-pointer by Marcus basket by Jonah Edmondson and Patrick Nelson went on a 5-10 left in the stanza after a baseline jumper by Quinton

*** In closing, the bottle throwing incidents at the pro football regain command and regain the quarter. games recently should make college and high school sit up and take lead at 42-39 early in the fourth. Ariton regained the lead at ter. notice. Over the years it seems like whatever happens at the pro-quarter. level will filter down to college, and then to high schools. Maybe the Kyle English sparked a 6-0 However, Zion Chapel respond- game late in the stanza and rally late in the quarter that NFL officials will take a hard stand and prohibit bottles of any kind Elba run that put the Tigers back ed with a 7-0 run and moved scored with 01 remaining on helped Zion Chapel cut the Elba in the stadiums, and also make the team owners pay for the actions on top 45-42 with 5:52 left in ahead 41-36 on a long three- the clock to pull within 46-36. lead to 42-30, but the Tigers's all the clock to pull within 46-36. of their fans. That would stop it in its tracks.

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From Zion Chapel Christmas Tournament

THE PRESSBOX Tigers bring home championship

team event with a 58-51 win over the Kinston Bulldogs, then captured the tournament title

Elba jumped out to a quick 6-

put back by Mitchell. However, young season.

The Elba lead stood at 32.27 away as the 'Cats opened up a clock.'

two county rivals kept swapping 1:42 left in the quarter.

Elba hit only 3 of its final 12 away and claim the wild 63-48 the lopsided 70-49 win. Bulldogs connected on only 4 of Jon Sanders scored 15 points points to lead Kinston, while John Mitchell scored 25.

the Tigers held on to escape Billy McClain added 10. Ariton. with the 58-51 win. points to lead Elba, while added 11.

Henderson 12, Brooks 5,

Kinston (51): L. Whigham

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Coleman 2, Mitchell 25.

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Marcus Henderson added 12 Z.C. (63): McClain 10, Nelson 12, J.T. Wiggins 2, Henderson 17, Brooks 9, and Kyle English scored 10 Simmons 4, Edmondson 7, Lunsford 6, Creech 5, Driver 20. Coleman 4, Mitchell 25. points. Lee Whigham scored 13 Wambles 5, Sanders 15, Arnold Ariton (49): Smith 10, Ellis Z.C. (39): McClain 6, Taylor points to lead Kinston, while 13, Brunson 5. Tim Whigham added 11 and Ariton (48): Smith 12, Terry Vanzandt 3. Jammie Lunsford tossed in 10. 8, Oliver 11, Reeves 9, G. Smith Elba (58): English 10, Gavin 6.

CONSOLATION GAME:

13, Wiggins 2, T. Whigham 11, KINSTON 70 Anderson 2, Nelson 7, Lunsford ARITON 49 The Kinston Bulldogs woke then pulled away late in the secup after a long first half nap to ond half to defeat the Zion crush the Ariton Purple Cats 70- Chapel Rebels 66-39, to capture

49, to claim consolation honors the championship of the Zion The win upped Kinston's Chapel Christmas Tournament. points to pull away and upset. Neither team could find the slipped to 1-7 with the loss.

Christmas Tournament. The Tigers claimed two wins in the event to up their record to

lead with 3.35 left in the quarter. on a three-pointer by Jon. with 27 remaining in the quar- by J.T. Wiggins.

Elba used the inside scoring

half as Zion Chapel scored the awake when they returned to the left in the third quarter, but the with 4:15 left in the third quar- Gavin.

36-34 on a T.R. Oliver bucket. Ariton tried to get back in the Arnold sparked a 10-2 Rebel the fourth quarter. However, the pointer by Edmondson with However, Kinston wasn't about Derrick Brooks nailed a long to let the Purple Cats get any three-pointer at the buzzer to up baskets and Kinston caught Elba Zion Chapel took a slim 43- closer, and responded with a 10- the Elba lead to 45-30 with one at 47-47 on a three-pointer by 41 lead into the fourth quarter 2 spurt to grab a 56-38 lead with quarter remaining.

Jammie Lunsford with 3:19 and led only 52-48 with 3:46 5:05 remaining in the game. A Derrick Brooks lay-up remaining in the game, but the Jeremy Driver scored eight capped a 7-0 Elba run that put Elba hit four free-throws dur. Rebels saved their final surge straight Buddog points midway the Tigers on top 52-30 early in ing a 25-second span late in the for the closing injuries, and through the quarter as their lead, the fourth quarter, and the quarter as the Tigers moved connected on 9 of 10 free- grew to 64-40, and Kinston. Tigers never backed down as back on top 53-47, and although throws down the stretch to pull never looked back as it posted they closed the game with a 10-

Jeremy Driver scored 20 39. 11 shots from the foul line dur- to lead Zion Chapel, while Patrick Nelson added 12. T.R. points to lead Elba, while ing the final two-minutes, and Brandon Arnold added 13 and Oliver scored 21 points to lead Marcus Henderson added 17. Rasheen Smith scored 12 points Kinston (70): L. Whigham 6, points to lead Zion Chapel.

John Mitchell scored 25 to lead Ariton and T.R. Oliver Brantley 3, Bedsole 4, Wiggins Elba (66): English 3, Gavin 3, T. Whigham 4, Anderson 5, 4, Williams 2, Wade 2, 4, Terry 6, Oliver 21, Reeves 5, 7, Simmons 4, Edmondson 2,

ELBA 66

Z.C. 39

CHAMPIONSHIP GAME: SUPPORT HIGH

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Wambles 2, Sanders 6, Arnold



SPORTS

At Zion Chapel Christmas Tournament

ARITON 40

Elba Lady Tigers defend title

to two easy wins last week to Rachel Bludsworth scored 18 40 win.

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wins over Kinston and Zion Chapel.

and Tiffany Dubose added 10 to points. The Lady Tigers claimed lead Kinston. Zion Chapel 49-37, to bring Mack 4, Proctor 16, Lawford 3, Legg 1. home the championship trophy. Ware 5. Carpenter 3. team tourney, followed by Smith 11, Grimes 8, Hunko 3, 14, Flowers 2. Wambles 2, Carnley 2. Ariton in fourth. Following are highlights of

OPENING ROUND:

ELBA 49

command against its cross- Inessa Wambles. A short jumper 1-3 slate.

Elba's Rachel Bludsworth takes a drink during a time- Kinston's Ramsi Smith ter. Zion Chapel in last week's Zion Chapel Christmas. Lady Bulldogs on the score- the second quarter and went on second quarter surge that helped with a 30-18 lead on a threeboard and cut the Elba fead to. a-9.2 run to cut the Zion Chapel the Lady Bulldogs open up a 15- pointer at the buzzer by Lagina Tournament. The Lady Tigers defended their title with 10-4. However, the Lady Tigers lead to 16-13 with 4:01 left in 7 lead, while it was Dubose that Mack.

tear to pull within 49-36 by the Rayburn, and slowly pulled

quarter as the Elba lead went to ing in the game. 47-22. However, Kinston took Ariton rallied midway Smith 12, Grimes 1, Hunko 7, Elba (49): Bludsworth 10 charge after that against the through the quarter and got as Wambles 3, Carnley 2, Farris 7. Daniels 2, Mack 13, Ware 11, Lady Tiger back-ups and led by close as 39-36 with 4.32 left, but Ariton (27): Liptrot 9. Proctor 8, Thigpen 5. the scoring of Ramsi Smith and Zion Chapel regained command Brantley 5, Baxter 12, Flowers Z.C. (37): Flowers 12 iffany Dubose closed with a behind the play of Wambles and 3.

three-pointer early in the fourth on top 37-34 with 7:15 remain. Ariton,

away to claim the exciting 48- CHAMPIONSHIP GAME: defend their title in the Zion points to lead Elba, while Inessa Wambles scored 24 ELBA 49 Chapel Christmas Tournament, Ayonna Proctor added 16. points to lead Zion Chapel, Z.C. 37 hosted by Zion Chapel High Ramsi Smith scored 11 points while Liptrot led Ariton with 14 The Elba Lady Tigers pured

Z.C. (48): Flowers 7, Scott 6, a 49-37 win over the Zion wins over Kinston 49-36 and Elba (49): Bludsworth 18, Rayburn 2, Ellis 8, Wambles 24, Chapel Lady Rebels, to claim

Kinston placed third in the four- Kinston (36): Dubose 10, Scyphers 2, Sanders 1, Baxter Christmas Tournament; CONSOLATION GAME:

The Zion Chapel Lady Rebels ARITON 27 pulled ahead early in the fourth . The Kinston Lady Bulldogs on a jumper by Rachel quarter and held on to defeat the pulled ahead early and then Bludsworth, only to see the Ariton Lady Purple Cats 48-40, pulled away late to pound the Lady Rebels pull even at 4-4 on The Elba Lady Tigers pulled to claim their first win in three. Ariton Lady Purple Cats 46-27, a lay-up by Jessica Flowers. never looked back as they rolled. The Lady Rebels were ready. The win was the first of the Mack gave Elba a 7-4 lead with to a 49-36 win over the Kinston to play from the opening tip and season for Kinston and gave the 3:40 left in the first quarter, jumped out to a quick 8-0 lead Lady, Bulldogs a 1-7 record, while Tunisia Thigpen drilled a Elba came out ready to take behind the scoring punch of while the loss left Ariton with a long three-pointer at the buzzer

county rivals and did just that as by Shawna Ellis upped Zion. Kinston started off slow and 10 after one quarter of play. Ayonna Proctor nailed a pair of Chapel's lead to 12-2 with 3:10 strailed 6-5 with 3:02 remaining Elba used the inside scoring three-pointers and scored eight left in the stanza, while a late in the first quarter, but rallied of Rachel Bludsworth and quick points to give the Lady shot by Wambles enabled the late and carried a 9-6 lead into Brittany Daniels, along with a Tigers a 10-0 lead with 4:58 left Lady Rebels to carry a 14-4 the second stanza after baskets three-pointer by Ayonna in the first quarter! advantage into the second quar- by Elizabeth Farris and Tiffany. Proctor, to open up a 27-14 lead Dubose:

ahead 19-13, and that was still advantage. Avonna Proctor hit a short the score at intermission, as neis Tiffany Dubose and A.J. Inessa Wambles, However, the jumper with 7/33 left in the half ther team scored over the final. Carnley led a Lady Bulldog. Lady Tigers woke up late in the to up the Elba lead to 19-8, and three minutes of the half. rally early in the third quarter as stanza and led by Rachel when Danae Ware scored from The Lady 'Cats cut the lead to Kinston upped its lead to 25-14 Bludsworth and Danae Ware inside with 6:07 left; the Lady 19-18 early in the third quarter with 5:00 remaining, and closed out the stanza with a 14-Tigers' lead was up to 23-10. and grabbed their first lead of Dubose continued to score 2 run to carry a big 47-25 lead Rachel Grimes hit two short—the night at 24-23 with 3:52—almost at will throughout the into the fourth quarter. jumpers as the Lady Bulldogs remaining in the stanza. Zion stanza as she helped the Lady. The Lady Tigers lead went to pulled within 23-14, and Chapel regained the lead at 27- Bulldogs grab a 31-18 lead with 49-25 with 6:46 remaining on a

Kinston's Tiffany Dubose nailed 24 on two quick baskets by Kim only one quarter left to play! short jumper by Rachel a three-pointer late in the stanza. Rayborn and Inessa Wambles. Ariton staged a mild rally Bludsworth, and while Elba However, those were the only. However, Ariton wasn't about early in the fourth quarter to pull emptied its bench to allow it's. points Kinston could manage, to quit and rallied again to take a within 33-21. However, Ramsi reserves to gain experience, the while Elba's Rachel Bludsworth 34-20 lead with 1.12 remaining. Smith and Brittany Hunko led a. Lady Rebels took advantage of Lady Tigers go in at intermisting linessa. Wambles scored the Bulldogs on top 41-23 with 2:02 the game with a 12-0 run to cut final four points of the quarter left on the clock, and the Lady the Elba lead to 49-37 by the Rachel Bludsworth led an 8-0 as the Lady Rebels pulled even. Bulldogs easily held on to claim end of the game. Elba run to open the third quare at 34-34 with one quarter the impressive 46-27 victory. Lagina Mack scored 13 points

ter as the Lady Tigers' lead grew remaining, and Zion Chapel Tiffany Dubose scored 14 to lead Elba, while Ayonna to 41-17 with 5:03 left, and from remained hot early in the fourth points to lead Kinston, while Proctor and Danae Ware both there the Elba reserves got in on quarter, as Wambles, continued Ramsi Smith added 12, and added 11 and Rachel the fun as they held on to carry a her scoring barrage and Jessica Elizabeth Farris and Brittany Bludsworth scored 10. Inessa 44-21 lead into the final stanza. Flowers connected on a three- Hunko both added 7 points. Wambles and Jessica Flowers Michelle Carpenter hit a pointer to put the Lady Rebels Baxter scored 12 points to lead both scored 12 points to lead

Kinston (46): Dubose 14, added 11.

The win upped Elba's record to 5-2, while Zion Chapel

slipped to 1-7 with the loss. swapped baskets early as the Lady Tigers moved ahead 4-2

to put the Lady Tigers ahead 18with 3:30 remaining in the half. out in the Lady Tigers' championship game win over scored four points' to get the Ariton began a rally early in Ramsi Smith sparked an early and the Lady Tigers went in

> moved ahead 13-4 on a three-the half. A three-pointer by scored the final four points of Zion Chapel cut into the Elba pointer by Kerri Lawford, and Jessica Flowers with 3:04 the half as Kinston went in at lead early in the third quarter by the end of the stanza owned a remaining put the Lady Rebels intermission with a 20-12 and pulled within 33-23 with

Zion Chapel while Bertha, Scott

watches as his teams roll past Ariton in the consolation la labama game of the Zion Chapel Christmas Tournament. The

consolation win was the Lady Bulldogs first win of the young season: Red Level tourney to feature 24 es over three days of action

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Game 4 (6:00) - Red Level vs. Straughn (Boys Division) Game 1 (10:30) - Kinston vs. Excel-Game 2 (1:30) - T.R. Miller vs. Georgiana Game 3 (4:30) - New Brockton vs. Florala

Game 4 (7:30) - Opp vs. Red Level

FRIDAY, DEC. 28

Game 5 (9:00) - Loser Game 1 vs. Loser Game 2 Game 6 (12:00) - Loser Game 3 vs. Loser Game 4 Game 7 (3:00) - Winner Game 1 vs. Winner Game 2 Game 8 (6:00) - Winner Game 3 vs. Winner Game 4

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SATURDAY, DEC. 29

(Girls Division) Game 9 (9:00) - Loser Game 5 vs. Loser Game 6 Game 10 (12:00) - Winner Game 5 vs. Winner Game 6 Game 11 (3:00) - Loser Game 7 vs. Loser Game 8 Game 12 (6:00) - Winner Game 7 vs. Winner Game 8

(Boys Division) Game 9 (10:30) - Loser Game 5 vs. Loser Game 6 Game 10 (1:30) - Winner Game 5 vs. Winner Game 6 Game 11 (4:30) - Loser Game 7 vs. Loser Game 8 Game 12 (7:30) - Winner Game 7 vs. Winner Game 8 Randolph-Clay back looking for sixth straight title in Dothan

The 19th annual Dothan Progress/Dothan Eagle Holiday Prep Area teams entered in the boys division include Kinston and New | Classic will be held at the Dothan Civic Center on Dec.26 Dec.31. Brockton, while New Brockton is also entered in the girls division. with a total of 16 teams from three states competing for the coveted

> The pre-tourney favorite will be five-time defending tournament champion Randolph-Clay, of Cuthbert, Georgiana, while Alabama teams to watch include Abbeville, ranked #1 in the state in Class 4A; Andalusia, a top ten power in Class 4A; Pleasant Home, the defending 1A state champion; and Barbour County, the defending 2A state champion.

Following is the tournament schedule:

WEDNESDAY, DEC. 26 4:30 - Headland vs. Ashford 6:00 - Enterprise vs. Dothan

7:30 - Andalusia vs. Northview 9:00 - Abbeville vs. Randolph Clay THURSDAY, DEC. 27 4:30 - Samson vs. Malone

6:00 - Daleville vs. Opelika 7:30 - Pleasant Home vs. Goshen 9:00 - Houston Academy vs. Barbour County

FRIDAY, DEC. 28 4:30 - Samson-Malone winner vs. Pl. Home-Goshen winner 6:00 - Houston Ac.-Barbour Co. winner vs. Daleville-Opelika winner 7:30 - Headland-Ashford winner vs. Andalusia-Northview winner

9:00 - Enterprise-Dothan winner vs. Abbeville-Randolph-Clay winner

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inspection looks for cracks and . The venting system. Cracks The air filter. A dirty air fil- corrosion that could make the or openings where the flue to ensure that your system is ter can reduce heating efficienready to meet the challenge of a cy, increase energy consumption. The fan control. Failure of could provide an escape route lengthy heating season, and compromise the reliability the fan to activate and shut off at for combustion byproducts. of the furnace. Homeowners predetermined intervals could Also, loose fitting elbows and Your best bet is to have your should clean or replace the filter result in higher or lower room connections and obstructions in furnace inspected by the dealer monthly during the heating sea- air temperatures than expected. the flue or chimney could allow

already invaded many parts of Pages. components can restrict air flow ing and possible damage to the have your home heating sys- inspection includes a check of ity and maximum efficiency. The manifold gas pressure. The burners. Burners should Proper gas pressure to the burn-

frosty surprise when you least . The thermostat calibration. be inspected and cleaned, if nec- ers should be checked and set to expect it this winter. An improperly calibrated theressary, to ensure proper operathe manufacturer's recommendcheck by a qualified heating from reaching desired room. The heat exchangers, This reliable operation.

who installed it, or by the son.

The high limit control. This dangerous gases to drift into a manufacturer's local repre
The blower. A dirty or pooradjustment is the furnace's last home's living areas.

involves creating digital geo- ent community and junior col- hours in geography and comput-Many surviving widows of graphical maps. It involves a leges in the nation have instituted er courses in addition to 12 computer system that assemed GIS/GPS programs, general hours in GIS/GPS courses. Vietnam Veterans could be eligibles, stores, manipulates, and ly as part of their geography. This Spring Semester offers ble for the Dependency and displays geographically related programs. Students may enter Introduction to Geographical Indemnity Compensation information such as mapping of the career field with a certificate Information Systems Program payments, known as water and electrical lines, water from Enterprise State Junior Technology. This is an introduc-DIC, but are not receiving this cutoff valves, sewage access. College or transfer on to a four-tory course which focuses on benefit due to their being valves and lines, drain inlets, as year institution. Both options maps and map analysis along unaware of the VA laws govern- well as the more obvious loca- have excellent employment with an introduction to computing presumptive service-con- tions of manholes, stop signs, opportunities. ers. Along with this course, one nected chronic diseases, and traffic lights. The advantage of going of the computer courses-Widows of a Vietnam Veteran The American people recent- through the certificate program ArcView-will be offered. who had diabetes at time of ly became more aware of the at ESJC is that two-year col-. To be a part of this program, death and this contributed to Global Positioning System leges are noted for quickly admission to ESJC is required his/her death even though he/she (GPS) because of the national adapting to the changes in the first. The procedure is simple: was not rated by VA at the time advertisements for Hertz rental GIS/GPS technology and the follow the directions at the webthat give drivers directions and while providing students with most recent class schedule, or

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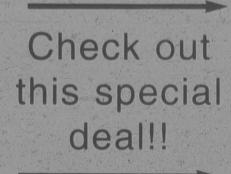


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